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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Sabb et al.,

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a response to an Office Action mailed on August 22, 2003. A one month extension of time accompanies this response to extend the time period for response to and through December 22, 2003. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of claims found on pages 2 to 3 of this paper.

Remarks including response to the rejection begins on page 4 of this paper.